

Heumann Terra Tartaro 2012

Erhard & Evelyne Heumann a German-Swiss couple founded the winery in the late 1990s and took the chance to realize their dream – to produce outstanding wines at reasonable prices. Their passion for wine combined with high quality standards and last but not least the terroir of Villány-Siklós has already born fruits. Numerous national and international awards and high scores in tastings are the evidence. The Heumann's now own 10 ha mainly in the Siklós sub-region. Most of the vineyards are either south-exposed or are situated on a plateau. 95% have the premium status of the DHC Villány.

Wine region Villány	Villány-Siklós which is regarded as Hungary's best red wine area. Climate is continental with Mediterranean influence. Due to terroir the region is perfectly suited for red varieties. Cabernet Franc besides the more local Kékfrankos (aka Blaufraenkisch) is regarded the flagship grape that has perfectly adapted to the terroir. Both varieties result in outstanding wines. For different international wine experts (e.g. Jancis Robinson, MW; Michael Broadbent) Villány-Siklós produces the best single varietal Cabernet Francs worldwide.
Wine name	Heumann Terra Tartaro
Indication of origin – quality level	DHC Villány, Premium red wine
Blend	55% Cabernet Sauvignon 30% Merlot 15% Cabernet Franc
Vintage	2012
Qualification vintage	outstanding
Sites	Siklós: Varoshegy; Marfa: Hegytető; Vokany: Trinitas
Soil	Löss with a quite high portion of limestone (especially in the Siklós sub-region)
Age vineyard	Cab. Sauvignon: 27 years old vines; CF+ME: 8-13 years old vines
Harvest dates	Cabernet Sauvignon 5./6.10.2012, Merlot 8.9.2012, Cabernet Franc 6.10.2012
Yield	average 0.8 kg/vine = appox 30 hl/ha
Vinification method	Destemmed, alcoholic vermentation and malo in temperature controlled steeltanks at 28-30° C; matured in Hungarian barriques (225 l) and double-barriques (500 l) for 22 month.
Alcohol %	14.5% Alc.
Acidity g/l	5.4 gr/l
Residual sugar g/l	1.1 gr./l
Date of botteling	April 2, 2015
Tasting note:	Deep dark ruby color. In the nose intense aromas, sweet spices - cinnamon/cardamom, black truffles, mocha, dark chocolate, ripe black berries, and cassis. Velvety structure with fine acidity, very well balanced with integrated tannins from both the grape and the barrique, powerful yet elegant wine. Black berries again plus chocolate and spices (cardamom). Very long lasting.
Cellaring capability	Min. until 2030
Awards	• None to date